

300-900 AD

Classic Period of Maya Culture

AD 300

large scale iron production in northern Europe, possibly connected to the rise of small kingdoms and increased centralisation
Decline of south Arabian kingdoms as overland trade replaced with maritime trade, AXUM takes their place.

300 AD \rightarrow 900 AD

Was the Golden Age of the Mayans
They built magnificent cities with
wide boulevards and plazas

AD300

~~Flour~~ Florence of nation states in Korea -
Pashche, Shilla and Koguryo.

Formation of the YAMATO state in Japan
rulers buried in huge keyhole-shaped
burial mounds.

Spread of wet-rice agriculture to
whole of Japan, except HOKKAIDO

A.D. 300

By A.D. 300 oil was being used by the Chinese, who discovered it by accident when they dug salt mines in oil fields. They used oil as a medicine, as did the American Indian.

AD 300

Classical period of MAYA civilisation
begins. Appearance of true cities
and city-states

300 AD \rightarrow 800 AD

Maya Chronology

The Classic period of History of
Mayas is 300 AD to 800 AD.

C 300-650

The early Mayan Empire (C 300-650) extended over the Yucatan. Although they had no metal tools, the Maya raised monumental buildings - temples, pyramids, courts (including ball courts) and practiced an ornate style of polychrome pottery.

They developed their own ideographic writing. Their building works required

an advanced group of mathematicians & by
their philosophical observations they found
at the nature of chronology which suggests
a deep understanding of historical time
then had been reached in Europe, perhaps
an understanding that time had no
beginning

300 AD

Gaelic speakers, called Scotti
(from Ireland) crossed the
Irish sea to what is now
Scotland.

They intermarried with
and eventually absorbed the Picts
(their descendants speaking Gaelic
rather than Pictish)

C 300 AD

Mayaans did have zero.

Central America: Yucatan; Guatemala
W. Honduras

Origins c 1000 BC

Developed original system of writing
(ideographic). They recorded chronology
astronomy, history and religion. Great
achievement in mathematics. Cal. more
accurate than Gregorian

Start 150 AC ?

C300

Beginning C300 Columbia and Peru spawned the South American civilizations that began with the MOCHICA people of the MOCHIS River (in northern Peru) and reached their height in the brilliant Inca era of the late 15th Century

1700 YA (300 AD)

Demise of the 3 ships in NYDAM MOSE
in Denmark.

300-330

Jewish Cal

Rabbi Judah III

Under the patriarchate of Rabbi Judah IV (300-330), the testimony of witnesses with regard to the appearance of the new moon was received as a mere formality, the settlement of the day depending entirely on calculation. This innovation seems to have been viewed with disfavor by some members of the SANHEDRIN, particularly Rabbi

you may wish to put the Babylonian & the
Metodusan communities, observing them
to follow the customs of their fathers, and
continue to celebrate two days, an
advice which was followed, and is
still followed by the majority of your
living outbreak of Palestine

300 AD

Books (codex) (or book of
leaves bound together)
were in use from 300 AD

c300 AD

Duncan; Cal

The Maya discovered zero.

C300

1912 Dates J-BK
PORPHYRY

C233-C305

"Against the Christians" (15 Books)
"Life of Platonius" "Life of Pythagoras"
"On Aristotle"

by PORPHYRY (C233-C305)

a Teacher of philosophy at Rome.

Greek scholar; Neoplatonic philosopher

Studied under AMMONIUS and PLOTINUS

Wrote lives of Pythagoras. Wrote extensively
against Christianity

Saint Sebastian

A Roman soldier at Narbonne
and martyred under Diocletian (245-313)
when it was discovered he was a
Christian. Is depicted in art bound
naked to a tree and pierced with
arrows; and sometimes with
arrows in his hand, offering them
to heaven on his knees; he having
been first shot with arrows and

then meet & die.

C300

1912 Dates J-BK

C 200-300

In the 3rd century, missionaries carried the Christian religion to western Europe and eastward to Armenia, Persia, and India.

Roman emperors gave the Christians scant acknowledgement during the reigns of SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS, CARACALLA, HELIOGABALUS, and ALEXANDER SEVERUS.

C300

1912 Dates J-BK

233-305

PORPHYRY (233-305) taught
philosophy at Rome and wrote
vigorously against the Christians

C300

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284-305

Diocletian
Persecution of Christians was
the policy.

AD 300

Since about 300 pilgrims
have been traveling to BETHANY
just outside Jerusalem, to visit
a tomb called "The place of LAZARUS."

300 AD

1912 Dates J-BK

Some of the leading principles
of optics were known
to the Platonists by 300 AD.

C300

Diocletian's greatest legacy to the Roman empire was his comprehensive reorganization of the imperial administration. A two-tier system was developed, with provinces grouped together into 12 large 'dioceses' governed by 'vicars'. Provincial governors and vicars held no military responsibility; the army was given a separate command structure which cross-cut provincial boundaries, the aim being to make rebellion and insurrection

well-nigh impossible. The new system
worked well and Diocletian won further praise
for the introduction of impartial laws and
regulations, for the safeguarding of tax-payers
and for the promotion of a better class of men
to run the empire.

The main losers under the new provincial
structure were the inhabitants of Italy. This
(save for the immediate vicinity of Rome) lost
the tax-free status it had hitherto enjoyed, and
was divided up in a similar way to the adjoining
provinces.

C300

Diocletian greatly elaborated court ceremonial and set himself apart from ordinary life; the objective was not only to show up his dignity - fragile though that may have been to give himself a god-like aura which induced respect and brought greater security by making assassination seem like a sacrilege. Anyone approaching the imperial presence had to kneel & kiss the hem of the emperor's robe. He pronounced himself

and we and selected a drive to take
each year in 21 July, through the steps
that of claiming to be a living god.
The same exalted status and divine
percentage were adopted by maximum
institutions and nations:

300

Crispus was born to Constantine
& his first wife MINERVINA

300 → 900 AD.

The Mayan civilization was
at its height

Ruler at top of 6 or 7
Clearly defined social classes
An elaborate calendar.
Cultivation of MAIZE

Council of ELVIRA

The first Spanish Council of record, held about year 300. It published the oldest known positive law concerning clerical Celibacy, stated Catholic rule concerning the indissolubility of marriage, and enacted 81 disciplinary canons.

C300

Perhaps practiced in ancient China
and Egypt, Alchemy developed in
Alexandria in the 4th Century by
ZOSIMOS.

The art of distillation was also
developed.

300 AD

Kalends: on 1st of month

Nones: 7th of mo for Mar May July
and October 5th (Jan, Feb Apr June
Aug. Sept Nov Dec)

Ides: Mar, May July but were 15th
All rest Ides = 13th

8th Augustus would be written

VI ante idus

8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 (Counts with ante)

24th Feb = 11 Ant Kallidias
Mallards
with post-mortem added
in leap year.

300 A.D.

TIKAL in Guatemala was constructed.

Pyramid is more than 30 meters tall. It is surrounded by other slightly later buildings that form a ceremonial center.

300 AD

C 100 AD - 7 C 300 AD

Throughout the Roman EMPIRE
various congregations developed
their own Calendars and
established days to commemorate
their own particular martyrs
and saints. Civil life was
governed by the Julian Cal.
until 325

AD 300

Silk method was betrayed
to Japan~

300-500 AD

Proto Old English

Breakup of Roman Empire

Anglo-Saxon invasions of Britain

Beginning of differentiation of VULGAR
LATIN, Emergence of Old English.

Contact with Celts. Oldest Germanic
documents.

Between 300 AD & 900 AD

All over Mexico, civilizations that we call Classic were flourishing, that of the MAYA is probably the best known and the most admired.

The maya were not only great artists, architects and city planners, but also astronomers, mathematicians and the only people in the New World to have a true form of writing. Their monuments

have long to the which record important data
about many good things: Quacoting, birds,
death, with the their movement, their
clams & power in this world & the other

AD 300-900

The MAYAN civilization flourished

300 AD

DURANT

Rome

Flight from taxes became
almost epidemic in the Empire.
Will to do concealed their riches

300 AD

Palace of Diocletian was begun

C300

Diocletian's Palace was built
in SPALATO (modern SPLIT)
Yugoslavia

c 300 AD

Separate developments of the
five German dukedoms:

Saxons, Franks, Alemanni, Thuringians,
and Goths.

c 300 AD

Lombards move from the
lower Elbe southward
arrive 568 AD in Italy

After 300

CELTS

Saxon pirates begin to raid
Britain.